

We are inclined to believe that the preacher who resigned rather than watch boys and girls play hands in his congregation ought to have sent the kids home to be spanked

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LAST YANK DEAD IN FRANCE SENT HOME SATURDAY

45,023 Bodies of American
Heroes Will Rest in
Homeland.

IMMENSE TASK ENDED

Great Problem Is Solved at
Last by Federal Graves
Service.

(By the Associated Press)
PARIS, Mar. 11.—The work of returning to the United States the bodies of American soldiers who died in France was completed today with a final shipment of 1,500 bodies from Brest for New York. This brings the total number of American bodies returned to 45,023.

The simple announcement of the completion of the task marks the close of one of the most trying and difficult problems ever placed before the American army. The American Graves Registration Service, the special branch of the army organized for the purpose, began work in February, 1920.

Agents of that service will now go to England and assemble 97 American bodies destined for shipment to America. These were American soldiers who died in widely-scattered parts of Ireland, Scotland, Wales and England. Five hundred other bodies of Americans whose relatives have decided to leave them in England, will be concentrated in a beautiful little permanent cemetery at Brookwood, Surrey, England, the British government having given the site. This work will be completed by July.

An extensive scheme of beautification has been developed by a special Fine Arts Commission for the four cemeteries in France which are to be the permanent resting places of nearly 30,000 Americans who fell in the world war. Original plans called for the expenditure of nearly \$3,000,000 but in the interest of government economy this sum has been reduced to about \$1,000,000.

Wait on Appropriation.
Work will begin immediately after this appropriation is made by Congress. Colonel H. F. Rethers, who has been in charge of the Graves Registration work, probably will direct the work.

The four Fields of Honor are Suresnes cemetery, near Paris; Bony near St. Quentin; Belleau Wood, near Chateau-Thierry; and the Argonne or Romagne cemetery near Romagne-sous-Montfaucon.

For the latter a scheme has been worked out which will make it very much like Arlington cemetery. Each cemetery is to have a rest house and a chapel for visitors and every grave will be marked with a uniform headstone.

One of the most touching features of the four cemeteries has been the way in which French people have made them their own. Sunday never goes by without scores of French people visiting them and placing flowers on the graves. This manifestation of friendship and appreciation caused many relatives to leave the bodies in France.

The beautifying of the Fields of honor will take two years but a great deal of preliminary work has already been done and the cemeteries in their present state are impressive.

When the Graves Registration Service began its work, the bodies were in more than 500 cemeteries scattered in every part of France, Alsace-Lorraine and Germany. Several thousand men were employed under the direction of American army officers.

Concentration of bodies in the four Fields of Honor has been completed. The Graves Registration Service will maintain a permanent office in Paris for the convenience of American visitors.

France Lowers Discount.

(By the Associated Press)
LONDON, March 11.—The Daily Mail today says that the refusal of the United States to participate in the Genoa conference so greatly robs the conference of importance that some doubt is felt in political circles whether it will be held at all and that its abandonment may be only a question of days. The newspaper adds that by America's abstinence the conference loses any utility it may have considered worthy, and denounced it as a costly scheme for humoring the Germans and bolsheviks.

(By the Associated Press)
PARIS, March 11.—The Bank of France today lowered its discount rate from 5 1/4 to 5 per cent.

ENVOY'S WIDOW FLEES FROM RED PERILS IN RUSSIA



Mme. Pierre Ponefidine.

Mme. Pierre Ponefidine, daughter of an American missionary to Persia and widow of Pierre Ponefidine, for thirty years in the Russian diplomatic service, has just escaped from Red-ruled Russia after a thrilling experience. Her two sons were with her in the perilous journey.

SHUN HYPOCRITE PREACHER WARNS

Man Who Gives this Excuse
Against Church Deceives,
Rev. Vawter Declares.

"Good Enough," a one-hour service, has been promised tonight by Rev. C. R. L. Vawter in connection with the Christian church revival.

A "double-header" service, which promises something in the way of devotional meetings in the city, has been arranged for tomorrow night when one of the biggest crowds of the meeting is expected. The first service opens promptly at 6 o'clock and the second service at 7:30. The same program will be carried out at both services. Special harp music and a sermon "Why I am a Christian" will be given.

"Open Communion" will be the evangelist's subject at the morning meeting tomorrow.

Last night the revivalist's subject was "Hypocrites." He declared one of the favorite excuses given by men in trying to justify themselves for not accepting Christ is "there are hypocrites in the church." "Let's grant that is true. I am not speaking locally now but in general. A man who gives that excuse is not honest; he does not stay out of a lodge because there are hypocrites in it."

The speaker gave a recipe for getting rid of hypocrites. "There is only one way," he said "and that is accepting and serving Christ. You will meet them at the judgment bar and then be rid of them forever. If you want to stay with hypocrites, stay out of the church and you will associate with the gang forever."

"Be honest about this proposition. If I were dying of thirst and saw an oasis in the desert, I would crawl through the blazing sands to the water and drink if there were ten thousand hypocrites there and all drinking; so would you."

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

MISS LUCY SAYS A
HANT'IN' REAL, BUT
LAWD! HE DON' HAB
T' BE REAL!!



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OKLAHOMA WEATHER.
Increasing cloudiness tonight, warmer; Sunday cloudy and somewhat unsettled, warmer in east portion.

WOMAN IS TAKEN BY POSSE AFTER BANK IS ROBBED

100 Armed Men Search in
Cedar Brakes To Find
Hiding Bandit.

HUSBAND IS SEIZED

Officers Believe They Are
Hot On Trail of Texas
Robber.

(By the Associated Press)
SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—Arrest of a woman and the all night search by 100 armed men in the cedar brakes near Breckenridge, Tex., were the over night developments in the sensational \$75,000 bank robbery on the New Braunfels State bank. The woman's husband was put in the Comal county jail Friday afternoon to be held for investigation and when the woman stepped from a bus in the plaza Friday evening returning from San Antonio she was also placed under arrest.

Officers from San Antonio, New Braunfels and Austin, aided by a hundred deputies believed themselves on a hot trail during the night, and beat the brush where the bandits were last seen.

Sighted at San Marcos.
AUSTIN, March 11.—Late yesterday afternoon the bandit automobile was reported to have been sighted west of San Marcos, according to a long distance message from Buda, Hays county, to the sheriff's office. The bandits were heading north toward Johnson City. A posse of Hays county officers took up the pursuit.

SAN ANTONIO, March 11.—Twenty thousand dollars in gold, silver and currency and \$50,000 in state and county bonds, together with jewelry with an unofficial estimated value of several thousand dollars was stolen when five bandits robbed the New Braunfels State Bank, thirty miles north of here, early Friday afternoon and escaped in an automobile.

Every article of any value in the bank was taken. The holdup of three bank employees and ransacking of the office took place within the space of five minutes and no shots were fired or injury of any kind inflicted. The little town did not know of the most daring robbery in the history of South Texas until the bank employees rushed out and gave the alarm. The bank is located on the public square, the most conspicuous business situation in the district and the streets were occupied by the usual number of pedestrians, shoppers and business men.

Hundreds of New Braunfels men and boys were assembled in one great posse five minutes after the robbery and armed with every possible weapon of pursuit, were making a determined effort to cut off the successful escape of the robber car which sped northward toward the mountains. San Antonio officers were given an emergency alarm and a squad of officers from both the county and city left for New Braunfels and outlying points in the hope of cutting off the escape.

MEMBERSHIPS IN ATHLETIC UNION PUT OUT TODAY

Memberships for the Ada Athletic Association were being distributed today and the first money to be collected by the organization has been paid in, according to Ralph Wanner, in charge of the affair. Wanner said that interest was growing in the organization and that he expected to meet with little trouble in completing the association.

For several weeks he has been busy with work of perfecting an organization. Now that the baseball and tennis seasons are approaching he is anxious to get it on a firm basis so that it will be in a position to handle these sports. Two baseball leagues are to be formed. Churches, clerical organizations, schools or others interested are making arrangements with Wanner for entering teams. Tennis players should also get their names on the membership list he said, as schedules for players will be made out in the near future.

All work now left to be done before the organization will be official is the collection of membership money and the calling of a meeting to elect director and a manager. A constitution and book of regulations will also be voted on.

American merchants predominate in the Norwegian automobile sales houses.

\$2,000 in Jewels Taken by Unmasked Robbers in Capital

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Mar. 11.—Two thousand dollars in jewelry and money were obtained by two unmasked men who robbed the Welch Jewelry store in the downtown section here this morning while scores of persons were passing by on their way to work. They escaped in an automobile which had been parked in front of the store.

A man who was sitting in the car was thrown to the pavement, and the bandits dashed away before police arrived. A squad from the police station went in pursuit later but were unable to find a trace of the men.

Welch's store had been opened since last Monday, and he said that none of the jewelry had been insured.

EDITOR IS NAMED G. O. P. SECRETARY



George B. Lockwood.

George B. Lockwood of Indiana, editor of the National Republican, has been appointed secretary of the Republican national committee, succeeding the late Clarence B. Miller. He has been an active G. O. P. worker in Indiana since 1890 and has been urged several times to run in gubernatorial and senatorial campaigns.

NO SECRET WOVEN IN PACIFIC TRACT

Secretary Hughes Asserts
Conference Agreement Is
Strictly American.

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 11.—Secretary of State Hughes in a letter today to Senator Underwood, democratic senate leader, and one of the American delegates to the arm conference, took occasion to characterize intimations that the American delegation was induced to accede to plans by the four power Pacific treaty cunningly contrived by other opposing American interests "as a very poor conception of our work in connection with the conference."

The secretary added that inquiry as to conversations and international exchanges and confidences suggested and exchanged at the conference, which were incident to the negotiations, could not be revealed, but he assured the senate that full disclosure of everything said and done would reveal nothing pertaining to the part taken by the American delegation that was not well in place.

He asserted he would not consider any possible plan that would conflict with the traditional policies of the American government.

The four power Pacific pact itself requires no commentary, the secretary said, adding that no inquiry or arguments of its origin, can add to it or make its general agreement greater than "its original language sets forth." There are no secret notes or understandings included in it, he asserted.

Negro and White Go As Nightly "Guests" With Mobs at Tulsa

(By the Associated Press)
TULSA, March 11.—Two men, one a white and the other a negro, were spirited away last night by unmasked bands of white men, apparently two separate bands no cognizant of each other's movements, and rushed to the country in closed cabs, according to the police. The white man was "Whitney" Wissinger, the negro was John Smithman, former deputy sheriff of Tulsa county, now awaiting trial on a grand jury indictment charging him with complicity in inciting the race riot here last June.

M'MINN ELECTED CO. CHAIRMAN OF FARM-LABORERS

New Party Goes Into First
Meeting at Court House
Here This Morning.

CANDIDATES HEARD

Big Business Session Opens
This Afternoon After
Credentials Report.

Upon reconvening this afternoon Farmer-Labor party, in county convention at the court house, elected J. O. McMinn permanent chairman by acclamation, and at the same time elected J. B. Faber secretary by the same vote. Two candidates for office addressed the convention before business in hand was called for.

Half of the court room was filled with enthusiastic farmers this morning when the meeting was called to order. A few women were in evidence. A credentials committee composed of Erwin Howard, W. E. Stroud, J. C. Vancouver, J. B. Faber and H. G. Berry was appointed by chairman J. O. McMinn and started their consideration of the names of delegates who should sit and vote in the meeting. This committee was to make its report at 1 o'clock and election of permanent convention officers was to follow as the next important step.

A program committee composed of Will Corbin, Ben Hampton, S. R. Tolbert, W. M. Hensley, and Mrs. McNair was also busy during the morning hours.

Bolen in Address.
As delegates waited for an official certification of those who were to occupy seats on the convention floor, short speeches kept interest at a high pitch. District Judge J. W. Bolen urged a stronger union among farmers and laboring men all over the county, especially stressing the importance of well-knit farmers' unions to provide a ready and just market for agricultural products.

He paid a tribute to the power and integrity of farmers when acting as an electorate and bade members of the party to "stand squarely by their guns" in the defense of the policies with which they had aligned themselves. He endorsed labor unions heartily and reminded the delegates that in the strongholds of the farmers and laborers ranks there is the strength to do anything if only a concerted effort was launched and supported to the last. D. W. Huffar also spoke.

The meeting recessed at 12 o'clock and went back into session at 1 o'clock this afternoon with indications that it would continue until well after 3 o'clock.

Platform Adopted.
During the afternoon session a platform for the county organization was read to the convention by the platform committee. It was adopted without discussion, only a few votes being cast against it. The platform, in general included some of the following points:

Depositing of funds of each township and school district of that township in a bank located in the township provided the bank meets the requirement of law in connection with such deposits.

Demand that county road funds be fairly and honestly expended over roads of the entire county, condemning alleged practice of using money on only certain roads, while others go neglected.

Demand for more rigid enforcement of laws relating to labor. This includes wages paid, amount of hours to work, employment of children and women.

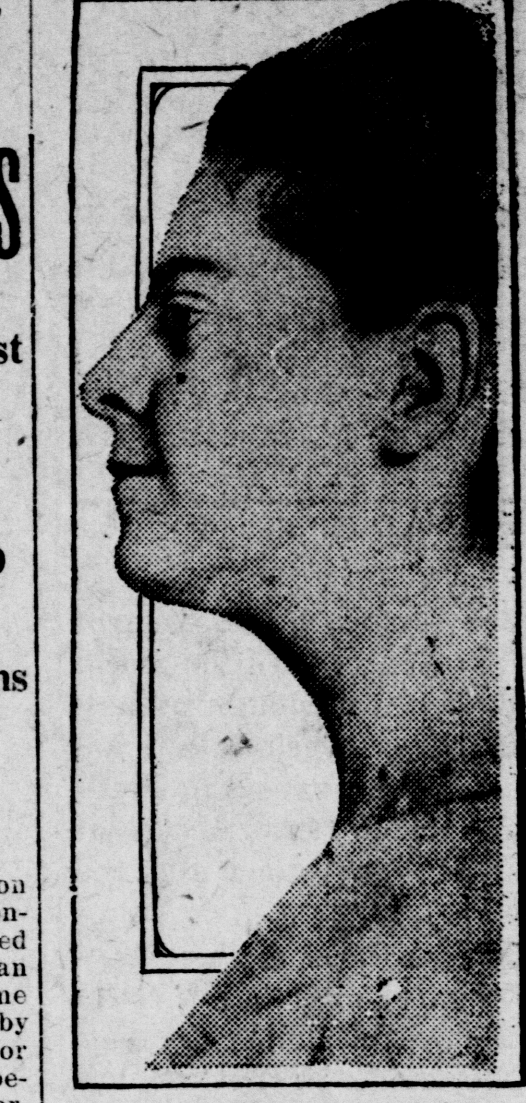
Acceptance of a proposition that no man or woman be endorsed for candidate for any office unless said candidate is a member of the farmers union or a trades union, or unless the candidate appears personally and declare himself in favor of farmers and laborers.

The platform adopted at the state meeting at Shawnee was adopted by the convention here.

Candidates endorsed for county offices were as follows: County Weigher, A. H. Simpson of Union Hill; county tax assessor, J. B. Faber of Knox community; county clerk, Will Peck of Center. The latter was recommended by acclamation. Other candidates were before the convention but on account of lengthy discussions none others had been endorsed up to 3 o'clock.

Hon. Luther Harrison, formerly of Ada and now of Holdenville was in Ada today, accompanied by his little daughter, Margaret. Editor Harrison is one of the best informed men in the state, particularly along political lines. He has not announced his candidacy for any office this year, but in case he were to decide to make the race for some state office, he would have a strong following.

RADCLIFFE DEAN NAMED PRESIDENT OF BRYN MAWR



Dr. Marian E. Park.

Dr. Marian E. Park, now dean of Radcliffe college, has been elected president of Bryn Mawr college and will take charge of that institution next September.

MADALYNNE GETS REST IN ORDEAL

Woman Held for Death of
Her Sweetheart to be Put
On Stand Monday.

(By the Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, March 11.—Madalynne Obenchain, in her cell in the county jail, rested today from the ordeal of two successive days on the witness stand in her trial for the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, her sweetheart.

No session of her trial was held today, the court having adjourned yesterday until Monday morning, when she will return to the stand and the prosecution will resume its cross examination.

It is expected the state will devote considerable time Monday to cross questioning the defendant on events immediately leading to the slaying of the young broker in her presence on the steps of his cottage at Beverly Glenn, a suburb, August 5 last.

Already she had been questioned rigidly concerning her relations with the three men who have occupied the most prominent place in her life, Ralph R. Obenchain, Chicago attorney, her former husband and her present suitor, and a member of her counsel, Arthur C. Burch of Evanston, Ill., jointly indicted with her for the murder of Kennedy, and the young broker himself.

African Mine Riots Take Serious Tolls Among Workmen

JOHANNESBURG, Union of South Africa, March 11.—Casualties in the fighting between the striking miners and police had reached 32 killed and 57 wounded by 9 o'clock Friday night when the firing was still continuing. Of the 32 killed, 19 were policemen.

By 11 o'clock, however, the streets had become absolutely deserted and the town was uncannily quiet. The public was forbidden the use of the streets.

The workers' hail at Benoni is reported to have been hit by a bomb dropped from an airplane. The heaviest casualties in the disturbance are believed to have been suffered in the extreme eastern section of the Rand.

Hall Bombed From Air.
LONDON, March 11.—The Trades Union Hall at Benoni, near Johannesburg, crowded with South African gold mine strikers, was bombed by an aviator today, says a Central News dispatch from Johannesburg. The majority of those assembled were killed and the building was destroyed.

ARKANSAS SHERIFF IS KILLED, DEPUTIES SHOT

(By the Associated Press)
CLARENDON, Ark., Mar. 11.—Sheriff James Ryals, and Jack Camp, sheriff's deputy, were shot and killed today, and Will Camp, a deputy sheriff and father of Jack, was probably fatally wounded at Monroe, near here, while attempting to arrest two unidentified men wanted on a robbery charge. The bandits escaped, abandoning their automobile.

FOUR POWER PACT DECLARED A REAL TREATY OF PEACE

Underwood Defends Late
Agreement As Second
To League Plan.

"WILL U.S. END WARS?"

Peace By Understanding
Instead of Sword Is His
Chief Wish.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Mar. 11.—Describing the four power Pacific treaty as "the real treaty of peace" of the arms conference, Senator Underwood of Alabama, the democratic senate leader, who was also a member of the American delegation to the conference, told the senate today that he would vote for the pact ratification in the same spirit which actuated him to support the treaty of Versailles and the League of Nations.

The real question, the democratic leader declared, was whether the United States was ready to give its sanction to an arrangement for peace "by mutual understanding" or desired to continue "the opportunity for war that has threatened us in the past two decades."

Mr. Underwood asserted that he did not regard the treaty as an alliance, but added that even if it were and were founded on arbitration rather than force, he would support it. Two arguments, which opposition presented, were that because it was not based on force it was valueless. The Alabama senator reverted to the philosophy of the past ages.

Recounting how he had supported the League of Nations he said he had approved the work of the arms conference because he was ready to welcome any new effort to establish peace by international understanding rather than by the power of the sword.

"The four power Pacific treaty," he continued, "represents a political settlement which undoubtedly was necessary before the treaty providing for the limitations of arms was signed."

Conference Adjusts Troubles.
"The terms of the treaty clearly call for a conference to consider difficulties that may arise, just as the conference on the limitation of armaments was called some months ago. It was a conference in which all the four powers must agree, and none of the powers will be bound in advance in any way. In other words the agreements that are reached must be by the unanimous consent of all."

"The opposition of the ratification of this treaty in the main appear to base their objection on two grounds, expressing positively they are opposed on one or the other. It is asserted that the treaty is evidence of an alliance between the four great powers for offensive and defensive purposes or at least it is contended that we will be drawn into that position in the end and that we may be forced into war without our consent. I maintain that there is nothing in the treaty that justifies such an interpretation; that an agreement made by a man or by a nation to respect the right of his neighbor is an obligation that relates to his own conduct and does not bind him to aggressive action because the other party to the contract, whose rights he has agreed to respect, becomes involved in a difficulty."

Reservation Attached.
"But the question is not left here. The foreign relations committee has attached a reservation to the treaty, which beyond a doubt will be accepted by the senate, which reads as follows:

"The United States understands that under the statements in the preamble for interpreting the terms of this treaty, there is no commitment to armed force, no alliance, no obligation to join in any defense."

"When the treaty is ratified with this understanding on the part of our government, what ground is left to those who contend the treaty is an offensive and defensive alliance to stand upon? None that I can see."

"If the senate of the United States ratifies this pending treaty, I am fully satisfied that there will disclose not any real cause for war, but there will no longer exist the opportunity for war that has threatened us in the past two decades. And peace will be established between the four great powers that now control the destiny of the Pacific ocean."

WILSON TEAMSTER IS WOUNDED BY BULLET

(By the Associated Press)
ARDMORE, March 11.—William Lewis, a teamster of Wilson, is in a hospital here and John Golden, merchant, is held in jail following a shooting on the main street early this morning, according to information received here at noon today.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

GOD LOVES THE GOOD:—Truly God is good to Israel, even to such as are of a clean heart.—Ps. 73:1.

CONFIDENCE.

Confidence is the brightest jewel found in the mine of words employed by the world. Through its radiance the world is cheered and by its light is guided from the slough of hatred and suspicion to the firmer ground of prosperity and good understanding. Changing the figure we may say that confidence is the Keystone of the Arch upon which rests the weight of the business of the world. Disturb the keystone and the whole structure comes crashing down.

To get down to literal facts business is impossible without confidence. For that matter no form of civilization could exist without mutual confidence. Hence the importance of maintaining confidence in quarters deserving it. Yet we are all too prone to do damage beyond repair by listening to idle gossip and rumors about an individual or firm. Many a girl has been started on the downward path by some whisper of suspicion against her character and likewise many a business man has been driven to the rocks in a similar manner. It is said that even a loudly spoken word has been known to start an avalanche on a destructive sweep down an Alpine height, and a whisper can work more destruction than that in the affairs of the human race, or in a business community. It is much like the idiot who insists on rocking the boat when the men at the oars are straining every muscle to reach safer waters. Sensible people cannot afford to even listen to rumors to say nothing of whispering them to some one else. Even when told under the utmost pledge of secrecy a piece of gossip will soon be kicking up a dust down the street.

In Texas a special tax is being agitated for the university and other state schools. A good idea, we consider it, and it is something for Oklahoma to think about also. With a tax of this kind the schools will know exactly how much to expect and the state would be relieved of a lot of wire pulling and lobbying for appropriations at every session of the legislature. As matters stand now most of the presidents of the more important schools spend most of their time lobbying at Oklahoma City. Their proper place is at home but if they are not alert their schools are likely to be crippled through lack of funds. Then again the smoothest wire puller stands the best chance of getting a big appropriation. All of this will be cut out if a special fund is provided and it is understood that that is all that will be forthcoming.

Indications are that the fight for the governorship will be highly interesting before many more weeks roll around. No candidate has struck his stride yet and it is too early to forecast who will be in front when the final lap is run. It occurs to us that the Texas idea of a clear majority is better than the plurality system of Oklahoma. Some years ago six or eight candidates were in the race for the United States senatorship. Colquitt was high man but in the runoff Culberson was the majority man. The same thing happened there in the last gubernatorial contest, Joseph W. Bailey being in the lead in the first primary, but Neff was the choice when the field was cut down to two contestants.

Every important new invention brings new problems. For sometime experts have been trying to work out some plan of action in forcing aeroplanes to conform to certain regulations, and now comes the radio craze. All at once the world has learned of the stupendous possibilities of the radio and it has grown so popular that the air is about to be all clogged up with radio waves getting in one another's way. How to handle this situation is a problem worth while.

New Jersey was one of the three or four states that did not promptly ratify the Eighteenth, or dry, amendment, two attempts having failed. The state even elected a governor on a wet platform, but now comes the legislature and affixes its O. K. to the amendment. Of course it is not needed now, but this action makes the affair almost unanimous.

Mayor Boles of Durant is the latest addition to the office holders indicted and suspended from office. Sheriffs have been the favorite game, but occasionally some other falls into the net. Oklahoma is apparently in for a general house cleaning.

The trouble congress is having with the soldiers' bonus bill reminds one of the fellow who grabbed a bear by the tail. The hard part is in turning loose.

A "bone-dry" zone extending 40 miles inland along the full length of the Mexico-California border soon will be proclaimed by the government of Mexico.

With the declining use of the horse is man losing some of his horse sense?

WHICH SHALL IT BE?



CONSERVATION OF PUBLIC DOMAINS UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—BUREAU OF FORESTS OF UNITED STATES AND THE AMERICAN FORESTRY ASSOCIATION—
— UNDER CONTROL OF DEPT. OF INTERIOR—LIBERALIZING FEDERAL CONSERVATION POLICY TO GIVE PRIVATE CAPITAL A CHANCE TO DEVELOP PUBLIC DOMAINS—

The Forum of the Press

Cured by Advertising.

(Daily Ardmoreite)
Advertising during periods of lessened demand has proved to be one of the chief means of reducing seasonal unemployment, today a most serious handicap to American industry. Hundreds of thousands of men are laid off annually in the various trades because the sale of goods which they produce is limited to certain months.

The President's Conference on Unemployment, in its efforts to formulate plans for reducing nationwide joblessness, has found American resourcefulness already mitigating this evil. Inquiries have brought to light, for example, that one New York company, which does a large business in dried fruits, by advertising to the consumer has lengthened the season for eating its products.

A Cleveland firm manufacturing men's clothing, in which the styles fluctuate by seasons has kept up continuous production by standardizing its products and advertising inducements to retailers for accepting deliveries over an extended period, instead of only at the opening of the season.

Another Ohio corporation which makes women's clothing has achieved the same results. It makes models according to carefully laid plans, and by advertising has inspired retailers with confidence in its judgment as to the goods and the seasonal demand for them.

A Rochester men's clothing factory fills in dull periods between seasons by making a stock of conservative models and advertising mid-season sales at prices which cover overhead but leave no profit. Pennsylvania manufacturers of glass, formerly a very intermittent industry, have stabilized considerably by lowering prices of goods ordered at certain seasons, and advertising this reduction. Customers have taken advantage of this cut, thus spreading work over the entire year and enabling the maker to keep on their employees.

In Brooklyn a shoe corporation employing thousands now advertises throughout the year instead of only in season, and has induced its customers to co-operate by placing orders when the firm most needs them. They also advertise a staple shoe not subject to season demand, which helps the retailers, as well.

"Liberty" Around Par.
(Dallas Journal)

Within the last year a number of grouch persons have asserted that the people of this country were tricked into buying Liberty bonds by representations that these securities would sell at a premium, and that later the prices were depressed so that rich men might scoop the bonds in at bargain prices and make huge fortunes upon them. Is this true?

The people were urged to make sacrifices in order to help win the war, and to their credit it may be said that they bought bonds in the spirit of sacrifice. They paid par to the Government for the latter issues, although they could have bought the earlier issues in the market at a discount at that very time. Many persons, both poor and rich, bought bonds with the avowed purpose of immediately selling them at a discount in order to help the government.

It is very true that in each of the campaigns many of the volunteer workers asserted that the bonds

would sell at par or better after the war, or eventually. And their prophecy is in the way of being vindicated. On last Saturday the city of Dallas sold Victory 4 33-4s of face value \$161,000 for the sum of \$163,048. On the same day Victory 3 3-4s sold at par, and the Liberty issues at prices ranging from 97 for the least desirable to 98.20 for the third 4 1-4s. None of them are far from par at this time.

But the grouchers say, "Oh, yes, they are putting the price up, now that the people (meaning persons of limited means) have been robbed." This is not true. Many of the bonds are still in the hands of persons of limited means. Most of the patriotic citizens who started out with intention to make sacrifices for their government, and these are not complaining. As a rule, the grouchers are persons who never bought any of the bonds.

Prices were not put down to shake the weak holders out. Prices went down because so many persons sold bonds because they needed the money, or because they could get higher rates of interest on other securities. They have gone up recently because bonds are more firmly held and because the investment has become more attractive.

The grouchers are slandering the masses of the American people, who patriotically made sacrifices to help win the war, and who had no thought of enriching themselves.

The Telephone Girl.
(El Reno American)

Immediately after the roof of the Knickerbocker Theatre in Washington, D. C., caved in under its weight of snow, a man who was standing outside of the building went into a telephone booth and told "Central" what had happened. The telephone girl did the rest.

This girl realized the situation communicated the information to other members of the office force, and within ten minutes seventy-two physicians residing in the Columbia Exchange district, where was located the theater, were told of the disaster; every hospital and first aid agency in the city was notified, a report was made to the War Department and to the municipal government offices, and the work of rescue and of relief was almost instant.

In France the telephone girl proved her courage and resourcefulness in war. She had proved it long before under other conditions of emergency and of peril. In floods, in famine, in fire and in riots the telephone girl has showed the stuff that is in her.

We fear that we do not always remember these things in our daily communication with Central. Sometimes, however, when we do think of them, we are sorry that we have blamed the telephone girl for annoying things beyond her control, such as the fact that the telephone of a friend is busy when we want to talk to him, and that perchance we are given the wrong number when the fault lay not with the telephone girl, keenly attuned ear but with our own mumbling manner of speech. We hope by this inadequate tribute that we have made amends for a somewhat frequent use of hasty but really unkind words.

EARL OF DEBRY OFFERED INDIAN SECRETARYSHIP

(By the Associated Press)
LONDON, March 10.—The Earl of Debry, former secretary of war, has been offered the secretaryship of India in succession to Edwin S. Montagu, who resigned yesterday.

NEWSPAPERS USE BIG AMOUNT OF BIBLE SAYINGS

(By the Associated Press)

CINCINNATI, O., March 9.—Secular newspapers using the service of the Back to the Bible Bureau, Bureau, which has headquarters here, have given without charge over \$950,000 worth of space for the publication of Scripture, according to Addison Y. Reid, secretary of the Bureau. "The response from the newspapers is amazing," he says. Mr. Reid reports that the combined circulation of the more than 900 papers using the service exceeds 10,000,000. One of the first large dailies to carry a Bible selection free has printed one at the head of its editorial column daily since September 7, 1920 records show. The service also is supplied to papers in Canada, Hawaii, Alaska and the Virgin Islands.

The bureau, of which James N. Gamble is chairman, supplies editors with clip-sheets bearing passages from the Bible under brief captions, for use as a feature. Many editors report that readers have welcomed the passages, according to officials of the bureau. The organization seeks to reach the public through the secular press, "the only way it can be reached," Mr. Reid asserts. Representative passages supplied by the bureau follows:

"The Road to Want—He that oppresseth the poor to increase his riches, and he that giveth to the rich, shall surely come to want.—Proverbs 22:16."

"The Best Medicine—A merry heart doeth good like a medicine; but a broken spirit drieth the bones.—Proverbs 17:22."

The bureau is non-sectarian, says Mr. Reid, and as clean of "commercialism as a hound's tooth."

Mines and torpedoes took the lives of 1,200 non-combatant Norwegian seamen during the war.

WILL ANSWER ANY WOMAN WHO WRITES

Woman Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Makes This Offer.

Cumberland, Md.—"My mother gave me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when I was between thirteen and fourteen years old and was going to school, because I suffered with pains and could not rest. I did not have any more trouble after that until I was married, then I always was troubled in my back while carrying a child and could not do my work until I took the Vegetable Compound. I am strong, do all my washing and ironing and work for seven children and feel fine. I always have an easy time at childbirth and what it did for me it will do for other women. I am willing to answer any woman if she will write asking what it did for me."—Mrs. JOHN HEIER, 53 Dilley St., Cumberland, Md.

During girlhood and later during motherhood Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought relief to Mrs. Heier. Her case is but one of many we constantly publish recommending our Vegetable Compound. She is willing to answer your letter. Write to her.

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Flaunting their alluring Spring charms, the new Gingham Dresses make an inviting display. Dainty and artistic ones, appliqued, embroidered and gay patterned in checks, plaids and combinations of colorful range and amazingly pretty styles.

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FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment, 217 East 15th. Phone 691-R. Malcolm A. Smith. 1-9-1m

FOR RENT—601 South Townsend. 611 South Townsend; 700 West 7th, with three lots and outbuildings; 709 West 6th; 923 West 12th, with three lots; 406 and 501 West 17th; 203 East Third; large bed room near Normal. See Miss Dobbins at 322 North Francis or 111 North Broadway or phone 586 after 7 p. m. 3-10-2td*

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FOR SALE—Rec Roadster; A. T. Bogan. 3-6-5t*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Modern 6-room residence 723 East 12th; will consider good lot or car as part payment. Phone 765. 3-9-3td*

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FOR SALE—One lot on East Main street. Call 757. 3-3-10td*

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WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over, 400 East 12th. Phone 176. Ada Mattress Factory.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION

State of Oklahoma, County of Pontotoc, ss.

To the Citizens of Ada, Oklahoma: Notice is hereby given that the bi-annual primary election of officers of the city of Ada, Oklahoma, will be held on the 21st day of March, 1922, for the purpose of nomination candidates for Mayor and commissioner of Public Justice and Safety, a Commissioner of Accounting and Finance, and a Commissioner of Public Works.

Notice is also hereby given that the bi-annual general election of said officers of the city of Ada, Oklahoma, will be held on the 4th day of April, 1922.

That said elections will be held between the hours of 6:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. on said dates at the following places, to-wit:

FIRST WARD: at the City Hall, regular precinct election judges and clerks.

SECOND WARD: at Fred Ford's Garage, North Broadway; regular precinct election judges and clerks.

THIRD WARD: at Haney Bldg. (old Holly Drug Store, corner Main and Townsend); regular precinct election judges and clerks.

FOURTH WARD: at Ada Marble Works (217 West Twelfth); regular precinct election judges and clerks.

Said polls will be open at 6:00 a. m. and close at 7:00 p. m. Dated this 7th day of March, 1922.

Gary Kitchens, mayor and commissioner of public justice and safety.

W. S. Smith, commissioner of public works and property.

(Seal) Attest: Minnie G. Hope, Commissioner of Accounting and Finance.

McALESTER SHERIFF IS FOUND NOT GUILTY

(By the Associated Press) McALESTER, March 11.—Sheriff William S. Sanders, was found not guilty here today by a jury in district court on two charges—alleging misconduct and maladministration in office.

Palm Garden Equips Special Club Rooms For Social Parties

The Palm Garden has fitted up a special room for club parties and other social events. It will not be open to the general public but will be held entirely for such social events as are arranged for in advance.

The room was furnished with draperies by the Harris Wall Paper and Paint company. It is finished in blue and the furniture is finished with the same color.

Beautiful draperies adorn the front, shutting off the room from the front part of the building, with the exception of the door. The windows are trimmed with the same beautiful material.

HARVEY HINDERMEYER DANN SISTERS TRIO

Arrangements are fast being completed for the unusual musical treat which will be presented on March 13th at Normal auditorium by Harvey Hindermeyer, the popular American tenor, and the Misses Dann.

Mr. Hindermeyer is an artist of amazing versatility. Whatever he sings, from the most difficult operatic aria, to the simplest heart song, Mr. Hindermeyer gives it with a voice that is bright, musical and pure. After he has been heard, it is obvious why Mr. Hindermeyer is generally re-engaged wherever he appears.

The Dann Sisters Trio have by hard work and earnest application won for themselves an enviable place in musical circles. These young girls, as modest as they are charming, have enchanted thousands of Americans not only by their exquisite playing, but by their graciousness of manner.

The recital is under the local management of Phonograph Shop from whom cards of admittance may be secured by the asking.

IN THE OIL FIELDS

J. E. Grattan and J. D. Schilling, lease men for the Empire Oil and Gas company, and M. H. Shaffer and Fred Furman, production men for the same company, left today for Bartlesville after looking over the oil fields of this county. This company has had several men here from time to time, and the geologists for the company have been working here for several months.

RAINS PREDICTED FOR EARLY PART OF WEEK

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Mar. 11.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys: Unsettled, with probable rains over south and rain and snows over north portion first of the week, generally fair there after, normal temperatures.

Born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Bart Smith, seventeenth and Stockton, a girl.

France Stunned That U. S. Demands Money For Rhineland Costs

(By the Associated Press)

PARIS, Mar. 11.—The demand of the United States for re-imbursement to the extent of \$241,000,000 for the expense of its forces in the Rhineland before any reparations were paid has provoked surprise and perplexities in the French official circle. There was also some pointed comment in several morning papers.

A French semi-official statement says that the American claim comes exactly at the moment when the accord based on the Cannes project was about to be realized, and that it tends to destroy the whole system of reparations so laboriously elaborated by the allied experts.

The allied finance ministers met today to consider the situation created by the memorandum handed the reparations commission yesterday by Roland W. Boyden, the representative of the United States with the commission asking payment of \$241,000,000.

The memorandum, the text of which was made public, states that the cost of the American army of occupation up to May 1, 1921, was about \$241,000. It set forth that the possible governments, with the exception of Great Britain, had received payment for their armies of occupation and that probably the British also were covered by a preceding arrangement. Therefore, the memorandum states "The United States counts upon obtaining payments for the cost up to May 1, with the interest, before any part of the German reparations are distributed for reparations or for other objects."

SETTLEMENT REACHED IN IRISH TROUBLES

(By the Associated Press)

BELFAST, March 11.—A settlement of the trouble between the rival members of the Irish republic in Limerick has been reached. Under the agreement both parties will evacuate the city.

A small maintenance of official forces is provided to occupy the barracks now in the possession of the free state troops. (By official forces it is presumed the British troops remaining in Limerick are meant.)

At 11 o'clock this morning several bodies of troops were leaving the city.

STORE HEAD AND CLERK ROBBED ON STREET CAR

BROWNSVILLE, Pa., Mar. 11.—Albert Fleming, manager of the W. J. Rainey and company store at Allison, Pa., and C. O. Evans, chief clerk, were robbed of approximately \$20,000, the company's payroll, by six bandits who held up a trolley car three miles from here today. Elmer Hill, a guard, was shot but not seriously wounded.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

Train Service Goes Back To Normal in Snowbound Kansas

(By the Associated Press)

NEWTON, Kan., March 11.—All wire communications with Hutchinson were demoralized this morning, with train service gradually returning to normal. The American Telephone and Telegraph company reported one stretch of 16 miles of toll lines on the ground and hundreds of poles down. The Santa Fe has several large gangs working this morning and expects to have a wire into Hutchinson some time today, according to officials of that road here.

Although the storm did several hundred thousands of dollars damage, it was very beneficial to wheat, most of the water entering the ground and causing very little rise in the rivers of this territory.

Trains Move on Time.

TOPEKA, Kan., Mar. 11.—All through railroad lines today reported trains moving on schedule time with the exception of the two through Rock Island trains No. 2 and 4. These trains were completely annulled yesterday because of the heavy storm in the panhandle country. Union Pacific and Santa Fe trains "lost somewhere in Kansas" yesterday, came through last night and today trains are reported on time.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

LODGES

Ada Chapter No. 78 O. E. S. meets second and fourth Thursday nights in each month.—Jewel Rowzee, W. M.; Margaret Peay, Sec'y.

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—W. J. Witcher, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Sec'y.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1275 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—F. R. Laird, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—T. W. ROWZEE, High Priest; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—T. W. ROWZEE, E. C.; C. SIMS, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—F. L. Finley, Chancellor; Commander; J. W. Westbrook, K. R. S.

FLOOD IS THREATENING MISSISSIPPI REGIONS

(By the Associated Press)

COLUMBUS, Miss., March 11.—Columbus today was threatened with a flood of alarming proportions. For the 24 hour period ending this morning, 5.75 inches of rain had fallen. Five streams have already passed the flood stage. Bridges have been washed away and indications were that the damage will be heavy.

GRAND JURY REFUSES TO INDICT PRISONED KILLER

Benton, Ark., Mar. 11.—The Saline county grand jury today reported its refusal to indict James (Jack) Howard, the prisoner who slew Tom Slaughter, noted desperado, following their escape from the prison at Little Rock with a number of negroes.

Federal Highway Talked

Discussion of the federal-county highway, Ada to Allen, was taken up at a meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce last night. Definite action

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on the question was deferred pending further investigation. A. C. of C. committee has been appointed to look into suggesting a site for a new postoffice or federal building in Ada.

PROTESTS REVIVING OF JOINT LABOR CONFERENCE

(By the Associated Press)

ALTOONA, Pa., Mar. 11.—A protest against the revival of the joint central competitive field and operators was sent today to Secretary Davis by G. Wedd Spaulding, president of the Central Operators association, Altoona, composed of central field operators.

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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—But Father had enough provocation.



Harvey Hindermeyer and The Dann Trio

Monday Night

Harvey Hindermeyer and The Dann Trio famous for their art the country over, will appear in a specially selected program.

This appearance of these famous artists constitutes the musical event of the season.

What makes this concert of more than usual importance, are several numbers in which the artists will compare their art with its Re-Creation by Mr. Edison's new phonograph.

NORMAL AUDITORIUM

Monday, March 13th

We have arranged that a number of Ada people may have special complimentary invitations. Call, write or telephone for them. Only a few reservations remain. They will be issued in order of application.

All children under 15 must sit with parents or guardian; otherwise they will not be admitted.

Phonograph Shop

113 W. 12th Street — Phone 270

TRIPOLI REVOLUTION

REPORTED BY ITALY

ROME, March 11.—A revolution on a large scale has broken out in Tripoli, says a dispatch to the New

El Mondo, from its correspondent at the capital. The rebels have cut the railroads in many places and attacked the Italian garrison.

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World's Best-Known Woman Preacher Will Address Biennial Y. W. C. A. Convention



Miss Royden in her clerical costume

magic of her voice, the sincerity of her speech, her logical mind and her daring courage, cause one to forget these handicaps.

She is a member of the Church of England and by her activities in leading a movement to induce her church to admit women preachers has tremendously stirred that historic body.

Miss Royden preached her first sermon in a remote village as unofficial curate to the Rev. Hudson Shaw. This sermon was the beginning of her fame. Since then she has filled many pulpits. She was the first woman to fill the pulpit of the City Temple of London, as pulpit associate to Dr. Joseph Fort Newton, now a resident of New York.

Since the upheaval in the woman's world brought on as an aftermath of the great war, Miss Royden has gained unequalled fame as friend, confidant and counselor to her sex.

In her series of talks before the convention, Miss Royden will challenge women and girls to come out "in the open" and declare for Christianity in all phases of life—personal, social, national and international.

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Miss Maude Royden, famous woman preacher of City Temple, London, who is to speak at the Y. W. C. A. convention in Hot Springs.

THAT the real inspiration of the Springs, Ark., April 20-27th, girls and women from every city, town, county and college which has a higher wages or shorter hours but rather a resentment against society for perpetually denying their humanity is the way A. Maude Royden, England's most noted authority on women and the world's best known woman preacher, analyzes the cause of unrest among her sex.

This famed and fearless woman is coming to America to give a series of lectures before the seventh National Biennial Convention of the Young Women's Christian Association which will assemble at Hot Springs, Ark., April 20-27th.

Miss Royden is the daughter of Sir Thomas Royden, formerly Lord Mayor of Liverpool. Though she is frail of frame, small of stature, the

Church News

Missionary Society, First Methodist Church.

An Unusual Celebration.—New York City's East Side witnessed an unusual demonstration on September 20, the anniversary of the overthrow of the Poye's temporal power by General Cadorna. At that time the General sent into the city before his troops a goat cart bearing a Bible and a placard, stating that the Bible was the weapon which would destroy superstition. To celebrate this event a parade was formed, led by the pastor of the Jefferson Park Italian Methodist Church, and portions of Scripture in Italian were given out to ten thousand individuals.—Christian Advocate.

"Never have I seen Thee so clearly as when I was breaking bread to the hungry; never have I loved Thee so dearly as when I soothed a brother's pain."

"How is your soul?" some one asked of Wilberforce. The man replied, "I am so occupied with the cares of the oppressed that I do not have time to consider it."

The missionary study class will meet at the church Monday, March 13, at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Frank Meaders, leader. The young matrons will meet with Mrs. Tom Thomas on South Francis avenue, with Mrs. Wozencraft, leader.—Superintendent of Publicity.

St. Luke's Episcopal Church (109 East Fourteenth)
7:30 Holy communion.
9:45 Church school.
11 Morning prayer and baptism.
7:30 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon.
Daily Lenten services throughout the week.
The public is invited to any and all services.—Richard Allen Hatch, Priest in Charge.

Oak Avenue Baptist.
All regular services next Sunday. Everybody is invited. The pastor will speak at the morning service on "The Responsibility of the Church for Teaching and Training Our Young People." The theme for the evening service will be "The Great Question and the Answer." Acts 16:30-31. We will also administer the ordinance of baptism to the new converts at 3:30 Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. We also wish to urge all members of the Senior B. Y. P. U. to be at the church by 6:45 Sunday evening. Important meeting.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.—J. H. Page, pastor.

Junior Auxiliary.
The Junior Auxiliary will meet Monday, March 13, at 2:30 p. m. Hostess—Mrs. T. C. McCormick. 723 East Twelfth street.
Devotions.
Chapter III.—Mrs. John Case.

B. Y. P. U.
Special song service—choir.
Devotional.
Purposes of B. Y. P. U.—Mrs. T. J. Fullerton.
Reading—It can be done—Jeff Laird.
Associational B. Y. P. U.—Allene Thomas.
B. Y. P. U. study course.—Mrs. Otis Davidson.
How B. Y. P. U.'s can help O. B. U.—Nora Abney.
Climax of convention.—Opal Little.
Closing song.—"Have Thine Own Way."

Church of Christ Young Peoples Society.

Leader: William Curr.
What advantage has one in becoming a Christian early in life? Eccl. 12:1.—Anna Lee Coe.
How may one use wealth in spreading the gospel?—Robert Moore.
What good and what harm can the tongue do?—Callie Britt.
Care for the sick.—Denton Floyd.
Turner Garwood.
Prayer, why pray and how?—Nolan Hall.
Singing, who sings, why sing and what kind of songs?—Opal Caruth.
Summary.—Bro. Wallis.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday school meets promptly at 9:45. We hope to see every one in his place.
The Men's Bible class will meet at the McSwain at 9:30. Mr. L. A. Ellison is the teacher. Every man who is not attending Sunday school elsewhere is urged to be present.
Services will be held at the 11 o'clock hour. The pastor is away in a meeting at Chickasha, but Mrs. Morris will speak on the subject, "The Hill tops." Mrs. Morris hopes to make the message helpful and inspirational and all are invited to be present.
The four B. Y. P. U.'s will meet at 6:15.
The evening services will begin at 7:30. The B. Y. P. U.'s will have charge. A special program has been planned including reports from the delegates of the B. Y. P. U. convention at Chickasha. This will be an interesting program and every one is invited to be present.
The Sunbeams meet at 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

Presbyterian Church.
"Rev. E. O. Whitwell, formerly of Oklahoma City, will conduct services both morning and evening at the usual hours, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Endeavor societies at usual hours.
The Senior Women's auxiliary meets with Mrs. C. V. Gowing, 719 East Main street, Monday at 3:00 p. m., in business session. All members of the auxiliary are urged to be present.
Sunday afternoon the annual "Every Member" canvass will be made. Announcement from the pulpit Sunday morning will advise the hour for starting.
All members of the congregation are expected to be present, and a cordial invitation is extended to you and your friends to worship with us.

Methodist League.
Leader: Louise Barney.
Song and devotional.
Subject: Habits, good and bad. Scripture reading: Prov. IV 23-27; Heb. 10:23-25.—Oleta Montgomery.
Reading by Lady Perty Shaw.
What are some of the habits we as leaguers should form?—Louise Meaders.
Five minute talks by leaguers.
What is habit?—Guy Meaders.
The power of habit.—Lucille Chapman.
What to do with our time.—George Carr.
Some quotations on habit.
The law of habit.—Velma Jordan.
Inveterate habits.—Dean Spencer.
The danger of habit.—Katherine Griffith.
Mission study by Mrs. Wilbur Lee.

Christian Science services at 111 North Broadway at 11 a. m. Subject: Substance. Golden text: Matthew 6:33. Seek ye first the Kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

First Methodist Church.
Sunday School at 9:45. R. S. Newcomb, superintendent.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.
Young People's Missionary Societies meet at 2:30 p. m.
Epworth League meets at 6:30.
Special music by the choir at both services.
A cordial welcome is extended to all.
J. H. BALL, Pastor.

Presbyterian Senior C. E. Leader—Thelma Roberts.
Topic—Habits, Good and Bad. Song Service.
Prayer Circle.
Scripture—Prov. 4:23-27. Heb. 10:23-25.
Leader's talk.
The Habit of Preparing the Topics at Home—Clara Rayburn.
How Are Habits Formed?—Chas. Gregg.
How Do Other People Influence Our Habits?—Jackie Wright.
Why Are Bad Habits So Easily Formed?—Webb Riddle.
Song.
Of What Value Is the Habit of Punctuality?—Robert Dickerson.
Illustrations—Cliff Wade.
Is Happiness a Habit? Tell Why.—Mozelle Sloan.
Can Honesty Be a Habit? Why?—George Bowman.
Business.
Mizpah.
Each member please give one bad habit of the Endeavor and tell the remedy.

Y. P. S. C. E. First Christian Church.
Subject—Habits, Good and Bad. Leader—Mary Esther Chisholm. Prelude, Trombone Solo—Charles Cunningham.
Prayer.
Song Service lead by Miss Reaves.
Business.
Devotional—Miss Vawter.
Male Quartet—Christian Church.
The Psychology of Habit Formation and Why Form Bad Habits?—Oscar Parker.
Solo—Arthur Harrison.
How Can We Train Ourselves in Reverence?—Donna Belle Lee.
Sentence Prayers.
Benediction.

Oak Avenue Baptist Church.
Senior B. Y. P. U.
Subject—The Sermon on the Mount.
Leader—Nora Keithley.
Introduction by Leader.
Censorious Judgment, Condemned—Mr. Bennett.
Encouragement to Prayer—Ernest Lawyer.
The Golden Rule—Stella Mae Ray.
Vocal Solo—Jessie Belle Ellis.
Necessity for Carefulness—Minnie McRay.
Doing Versus Hearing—Zeldah Keithley.

Auxiliary To Meet.
The Senior Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. V. Gowing, 600 East Main street.

FOUR DROWNED WHEN CAR GOES THROUGH BRIDGE

(By the Associated Press)
ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Mar. 11.—Two young women and two young men were drowned here today when a small closed car ran through the open draw of the bridge between Anastasia Island and St. Augustine.



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BANK COST \$588,858.85
MUSKOGEE, Mar. 10.—Failure of the Oklahoma State Bank at Guthrie on October 26 last cost the bank guaranty fund \$588,858.85, according to a petition filed in the district court today by George F. Short attorney general, against Charles F. Issenschmidt of this city for \$1,000 the amount of stock Issenschmidt is alleged to have held in the institution.

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BASEBALL ENJOYED BANNER YEAR IN 1921



Left to right, above, Babe Ruth, champion home run hitter; Harry Heilmann, champion batter of the American League, and Roger Hornsby, leading batter of the National League. Below, Waite Hoyt, hero of the world's series, and Muggsy McGraw, leader of the world's champion Giants.

Babe Ruth's feat in setting a new world's record of 59 home runs and the winning of both big league pennants and of course the

world's series by the New York teams were the main events of a big year in baseball in 1921. Roger Hornsby again led the National League in batting. Harry

Heilmann beat out his boss, Ty Cobb, for the American League honors. Waite Hoyt, by his work in the world's series, basked in the pitching limelight.

Where Your Taxes Go

How Uncle Sam Spends Your Money in Conducting Your Business

By EDWARD G. LOWRY

Author "Washington Close-Up," "Bucks and Financial Systems," etc. Contributor Political and Economic Articles to Leading Periodicals and a Writer of Recognized Authority on the National Government's Business Methods.

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I. WHY YOU'RE INTERESTED

I wish you would take what is written here as a personal report addressed directly to you from me about your business. Don't think of it or read it as an article about "politics," or remote public affairs at Washington. It is not that at all. It is what I ask you to think of, a personal business report to you relating to your individual concerns, your pocketbook and your welfare. I have no other interest than to tell you the exact truth.

Assume that you have sent me to Washington to find out for you what your agents are doing, how they are managing your affairs and spending your money. I call them your agents for that is all they are—the President, the members of the cabinet, the senators and all the members of the house of representatives. You hire them, you pay them, and you can fire them.

You may think of them in deference and awe as a group of eminent statesmen, or you may call them in flippancy and too hasty contempt "a lot of politicians." But whatever you call them, they are your hired men. They attend to your collective business, which is called the public business.

Query: Are they doing it efficiently and with a single-minded devotion to your interests?

Perhaps the largest item in the high cost of living is the high cost of government. And far and away the largest item in the high cost of government is the high cost of armament; preparation for war. About 90 per cent of all government revenues, and that means the money taken from you as taxes, goes to pay for wars, past, present and future.

Before I have concluded this series of articles I expect to show you conclusively that the impelling motive that induced President Harding to call the present conference in Washington to consider limitation of armaments was financial. The pressing need of considering a proposal for a reduction or limitation by agreement of war expenditure was not made entirely on the ground of morality or righteousness, but as a plan for cutting down the operating expenses of the government.

If the United States government were an individual we would say that it was broke, for its expenses exceed its income.

Your interest is simply this: that whatever decision is made you will have to pay the bill. If today we didn't have these army and navy expenses you would have to pay in taxes less than \$1,000,000,000 a year instead of \$5,000,000,000. That means we would have about \$4,000,000,000 more a year to spend on our private needs and pleasures. I frankly confess that I would enjoy having four-fifths of my taxes knocked off. Wouldn't you?

Secretary Weeks of the War department gave public warning a little while ago that the government would require of us about \$17,000,000 in the next thirty months to meet current expenses and other obligations. Persons who have given close study to that possibility say that the need will be nearer \$20,000,000, than \$17,000,000. The great bulk of that is for past and prospective war expenditures.

For this, you and congress and the Executive departments at Washington are responsible. You more than anybody else, for it is your money that is being spent and you can stop it. In its simplest terms the procedure is this: You earn the money, congress takes it away from you in the form of taxes, and then congress and the Executive departments spend it.

A great part of it is wasted. This is established, conceded, confessed, and acknowledged by congress, which authorizes the expenditures, and by the executive officers of the government, who do the actual spending. It is your money that you have earned in your business, on your farm, or by the labor of your hands, that is being expended and wasted at Washington.

Every cent that is extravagantly or needlessly expended by the government you could have in your pocket to meet the increased cost of food, lodging and clothing, doctors' bills and amusements, or to put away and save against a rainy day, if you only demanded determinedly and unitedly that governmental extravagance should cease.

I can tell you some of the conditions of governmental spending and how your money is chucked about, and I can tell you how you can stop it. The power is yours, and until you exercise it waste and extravagance will not stop.

Man Must Have Mustache.

To be without a mustache is a disgrace in many parts of North, or High, Albania. The Albanian mother tells her child stories in which, unlike our stage melodrama, it always is the hairless man who figures as the villain. —National Geographic Society Bulletin.

WETUMKA—Six new locations have been made in the oil fields near here since the beginning of the year. Forecasts of big increases in oil operations are being made.

Farmers' Column

By Byron Norrell

The rain of last week was not "qually spread over the county. W. M. Carter, of Oakman, reports that enough fell there to make plowing possible, but A. W. McKeel of near Roff states that the precipitation in his community was too light to help much. So little rain has fallen there during the past seven months that plowing has been seriously retarded. Very little wheat was planted, Mr. McKeel reports. Prof. J. J. Townsend reports that wind blew down some trees around Pleasant Valley, but he did not hear of any property loss.

H. A. Kroeger of Oklahoma City, was in Ada Saturday. He said he had recently returned from a trip to Iowa and found that times are exceedingly close there. When prices began to boom many farmers sold their holdings at what would have been considered fancy figures before that time, but land kept going up and some enthusiasts began talking of the time when it would sell at \$1,000 per acre. Those who had sold out early in the game began to be alarmed at being left out and rushed back to buy land at \$400 and \$500 per acre. When the bottom dropped out and land fell to \$200 they found themselves in very close quarters where they had gone heavily in debt to buy land. Of course the fall in the price of farm products and livestock has hit them hard and bank statements, Mr. Kroeger said, show the banks of Oklahoma are, as a rule, in much better shape than those of Iowa.

The annual poultry show is now a matter of history. For one I am well pleased with the exhibits, both in number and quality. I saw the first show ever held here and while it was all right as starter, this last show proved that some long forward steps have been taken since the enterprise was launched some years ago. An important feature of these shows are the exhibits and judging contests of the club workers of the county. The boys and girls are improving their flocks right along and by taking part in the judging contests and watching others judge and explain the various points they are adding quite a bit to the practical side of their education.

Supt. Wilson is highly gratified with the census report indicating that during the decade from 1910 to 1920 illiteracy in Oklahoma decreased about 35 per cent. This speaks well for the growing efficiency of our educational system. In my teaching days in Texas school boards often paid too little attention to qualifications of applicants. The fellow who put up the best front got the job although he may have failed everywhere he taught and may have had very meager preparation. On one occasion I was one of a dozen or more applicants for a school that was desirable because it was on a railroad and not far from the town where most of us lived. One applicant held an A. B. degree and most of us had first grade certificates. The man who was given the place was barely able to get a second grade certificate and was only a year out of the penitentiary where he served a term for forgery. However, he put up a good front. He made a glorious failure, for the school had been in competent hands and some of the pupils were farther advanced than the teacher. Of course a man may have a wide knowledge of text books and still be a failure as a teacher, but it is certain that unless he has had some training he will not get very far. It behooves school boards to look well into the qualifications and past records of applicants.

It is reported that the grape

growers of California, who always oppose prohibition most bitterly because they reared it would drive them into bankruptcy, are now more prosperous than ever due to the enormous increase in the demand for grape juice. Evidently there is still room for more grape growers, for a meeting was held at Westville, Oklahoma, a few days ago which was attended by officials of the Welch Grape Juice Co., and the Frisco and K. C. S. railroads to discuss the matter of going in for a big acreage of grapes in that part of the state. Other meetings will be held by the county agent and the movement given a boost. In this connection it might be borne in mind that Pontotoc county is as good a grape producing section as can be found anywhere.

CENTER.

A musical entertainment was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Medlock, was enjoyed by all. Sam Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Smith are visiting their sister Mrs. Arthur Sutherland.

Willie Huddleston is on the sick list but we are glad to hear he is improving. Fred Sloan and his sister Lois visited in the Medlock home through the holidays.

Lester Medlock of Center visited relatives in Wetumka during the Christmas vacation.

Miss Leona Huddleston of Ada is visiting home folks this week. Bro. Yandell filled his regular appointment at Center Saturday night and Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor is making a great head-way toward success. Miss Leona Copeland of Oklahoma City spent a short vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Copeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Ada spent the week-end with their son, John Taylor and family, of this place.

We have elected all our officers and teachers for our Sunday school for this New Year. We expect a great interest to be taken in our Sunday school this year. All come out and help us to make it one of the best.

BARTLESVILLE—County commissioners have extended the time when the penalty will be added for non-payment of taxes, to January 20.

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FARMER MUST BE PAID TO KEEP ON FEEDING THE WORLD, LOWDEN SAYS

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 6.—If the farmer is to continue to feed mankind, he must be paid for his services and we must provide warehouses for the surpluses in bountiful years, Frank O. Lowden, former Governor of Illinois, told the Nebraska Dairymen's association in convention here today.

"The farmer believes in the value of what he produces and knows that it is indispensable to the world if civilization is to go on," he said. "When he sees that the total value of an unusually large crop is less in the markets of the world than the value of a small crop, he knows that something is wrong in our methods of distribution. He does not need to be familiar with higher mathematics to feel sure that twelve million bales of cotton ought to be worth more than six million bales; for each of the twelve million bales will be genuinely serviceable sooner or later in clothing the world.

"He has seen much improved financial conditions come to the great section of the country because of an abnormally short crop of that staple. He can't persuade himself that the boll weevil in a beneficent agent of mankind, and yet he is compelled to admit that the cotton states are indebted to that little insect for their improved financial condition.

"Production Cost Lowest. "We know that no commodity will be long produced below the cost of production, and therefore it ought never be necessary to market any farm commodity below such cost; for if that commodity can be stored and held the world will have to pay the cost some day.

"These problems have been met and solved, in a large measure, in Holland and Denmark and among the fruit growers of California, by the organization of farmers' cooperative societies. These societies

do not attempt to arbitrarily fix prices. They do study the probable demand and attempt to adjust production to meet that demand.

"Instead of throwing the entire season's crop upon the market within a few short weeks, they provide for orderly marketing of their products. The tendency of this is to stabilize the market. And stabilizing the market of any product is in the end best for the consumer and the producer alike. It is never a good thing for anyone when any useful commodity is sold for less than the cost for under the inexorable laws of economics curtailed production will follow until prices abnormally high are the result. Any commodity that is produced profitably year after year will in a long series of years be produced more cheaply than where there are violent fluctuations.

"Supply and Demand Rules. "When the price of wheat on Wednesday of one week is ten cents more a bushel than it was on the Tuesday of the week before, this law of supply and demand may mean the difference between a profit or loss upon a whole year's work of the farmer.

"While in every other industry we are abreast of the most advanced nations—in commerce, in manufacture, in banking and merchandising—there is not a nation in the world that cannot teach America something about farming. This has been because of the great abundance of fertile lands in this country, so that we could exhaust one field and then move west and take up virgin land.

"If our farm is worn out it is our own fault, and if we do not restore it within a reasonable time it is not only our fault but it is an act of positive treachery to the generations that shall come after us."

PARISH CHAPEL.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Thompson and family spent Sunday with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Pennington.

B. J. Downing spent Sunday with his brother of Vanoss, J. M. Downing.

Mrs. Vivian Jones and Miss Daisy Ledford spent Saturday night with Miss Gertrude and Zella Pennington.

Willard Ingram and wife spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Wood.

Miss Bertha Brandon and sister and brother have been spending the week end with their sister, Mrs. Effie Lamb.

J. C. Maddox spent Sunday night with his friend Debs Thompson.

We understand that they will start school next Monday with two teachers, Miss Dessie Beck as the assistant teacher.

A big meeting was started at Parish Friday night by Rev. E. G. Murr. Everybody is glad to have him back again.

Hurrah for Parish! It is coming to the front. They have added a new school room to the old one and will employ two teachers in the school. The men of the community donated the work to build it and Wednesday about 11 o'clock the women of the Farmers Union came driving up with a black mule team with a warm dinner for the men. They spread the dinner and ate and drank coffee and still there was grub left.

Mrs. Dora Sweat spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Eddings.

CENTER ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie D. Smith and Sam Smith of Coalgate spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sutherland of this place, returning to their home Monday.

Misses Lois and Opal Sloan of Ada visited friends and relatives here during the holidays.

Miss Neomah Eddings of Center is spending the holidays with friends and relatives of Coalgate.

Miss Isabelle Eddings returned to Vanoss Sunday to resume her school work.

Albert and Stella Medlock returned to Ada to take up their school work again in E. C. S. N. after spending the holidays with home folks of this place.

Miss Craig Parker is able to be out again after having been ill of pneumonia for past three weeks.

Mr. Harvey Mullinax was with home folks during holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whipple spent the past week at Allen with daughter, Vivian and husband, Jim Cruson.

The endeavor society met Sunday at 8:00 o'clock, having a nice program. The society was organized four weeks ago, and by the regular attendance of its members it is doing nicely. The interest of the endeavor is increasing and it has now twenty-four members. All boys and girls from neighboring communities are cordially invited to attend.

HOMER.

Sunday school was well attended but not as many present as was expected it being the first day of the New Year. The women and girls working against the men and boys in attendance during this quarter at Sunday school.

Colbert is coming over Friday night, Jan. 13th, to cipher against us. But we thing they are out of luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Holiday visited relatives at Allen last week.

Grandpa Bramley is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Blackburn visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Landrith Sunday.

Misses Myrtle and Opal Dockery of Oakman visited Miss Ed Hurley Sunday.

A large crowd attended singing at Earnest Landrith's Friday night.

Mrs. Mary Bramley is visiting homefolks at Colbert this week.

ATTENTION LAWYERS AND LAW STUDENTS

FOR SALE—Two volumes Cooley's Blackstone and three volumes Greenleaf on Evidence, at a bargain. Good as new. See these at the News office. T. H. HENLEY

State Is Not Heartless Machine, Aged Man Near Door of Poverty Learns

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 7.—Admiring the affairs of a great state such as Oklahoma is a business undertaking of vast size and as such is conducted for the most part in the impersonal, disinterested manner of the business world. But not all activities in the state capital are so. Amid the rush of official duties there comes to light often acts of official origin which have brought joy to hearts of men and women of Oklahoma.

Such an act was recounted recently by Mrs. Kathryn Van Leuven, assistant state attorney general, who characterized it as an example of "humanity in government."

Aged Man Recompensed. An aged man was injured severely in an industrial accident in Nowata county. The matter was brought to the attention of the state industrial commission, but before an investigation could be made the man left the county and apparently the incident was closed. Not satisfied, the members of the commission instituted a search for the man and found him near death in Coffeyville, Kan. Questioning developed the fact that the man's employer had paid him \$175. He considered the matter closed, and was very reluctant to take action against his employers to secure a larger sum.

The \$175 had been spent to pay debts and retire doctors, and the man and his feeble old wife were nearly destitute. At a hearing held in Nowata, at which the old couple were unwilling witnesses, the employers were ordered to pay the man \$7,000, an amount larger than he had ever dreamed of, and sufficient to keep him and his wife the remainder of their lives. The first payment of \$1,000 has been made, and

the remainder is to be paid in installments. The old people are now at the home of a married daughter in Kansas where the man is recuperating from his injuries. He will never be able to work again, however. The law did not require the commissioners to search for the man.

Help School Teacher.

Another incident related by Mrs. Van Leuven was the case of a young country school teacher who wrote to the attorney general's office advising that because no tax levy had been made, she and other teachers were being paid out of a special fund, warrants on which could not be cashed at local banks. The girl wrote that banks of the city had offered to lend teachers 75 percent of the face value of their warrants at 10 percent interest.

She appealed to the attorney general, who is by law prevented from giving legal advice to individuals. Mrs. VanLeuven, however, acting as a friend of the girl and not as a state official, went to A. N. Lee-craft, state treasurer, and told him the story of how the banks were taking advantage of poorly paid rural teachers. The next day an unofficial letter went out from the treasurer's office advising banks of the little town that state funds deposited with them could not remain in banks employing such methods.

Warrants of country teachers are now cashed in that town without comment, Mrs. VanLeuven said.

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